

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL ACTION NO 15-13109-RWZ

DAVID LEONARD SOUZA,
as Personal Representative
of the Estate of KAREN MARIE SOUZA

v.

COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY,
CYPRUS AMAX MINERALS COMPANY
(sued as successor to SIERRA TALC COMPANY and UNITED TALC COMPANY);
and IMERYS TALC AMERICA, INC.
(sued individually and as successor-in-interest to LUZENAC AMERICA, INC.
successor-in-interest to CYPRUS INDUSTRIAL MINERALS COMPANY
and METROPOLITAN TALC CO.)

ORDER

May 15, 2018

ZOBEL, S.D.J.

Defendants' motion to amend their motion to dismiss to assert a lack of personal jurisdiction (Docket # 100) was filed on the date the court issued its decision (Docket # 103) on the pending motion to dismiss the third amended complaint (Docket # 93). The court incorrectly stated in a footnote that the motion to amend was not ripe for decision. Defendants Imerys Talc America, Inc., and Cyprus Amax Minerals Company are herewith granted leave to file a motion to dismiss on jurisdictional grounds together with

any supporting memoranda on or before May 24, 2018. Plaintiffs may file their opposition by June 7, 2018. The court will decide any such motions on the papers.

May 15, 2018

Date

/s/Rya W. Zobel

Rya W. Zobel

Senior United States District Judge